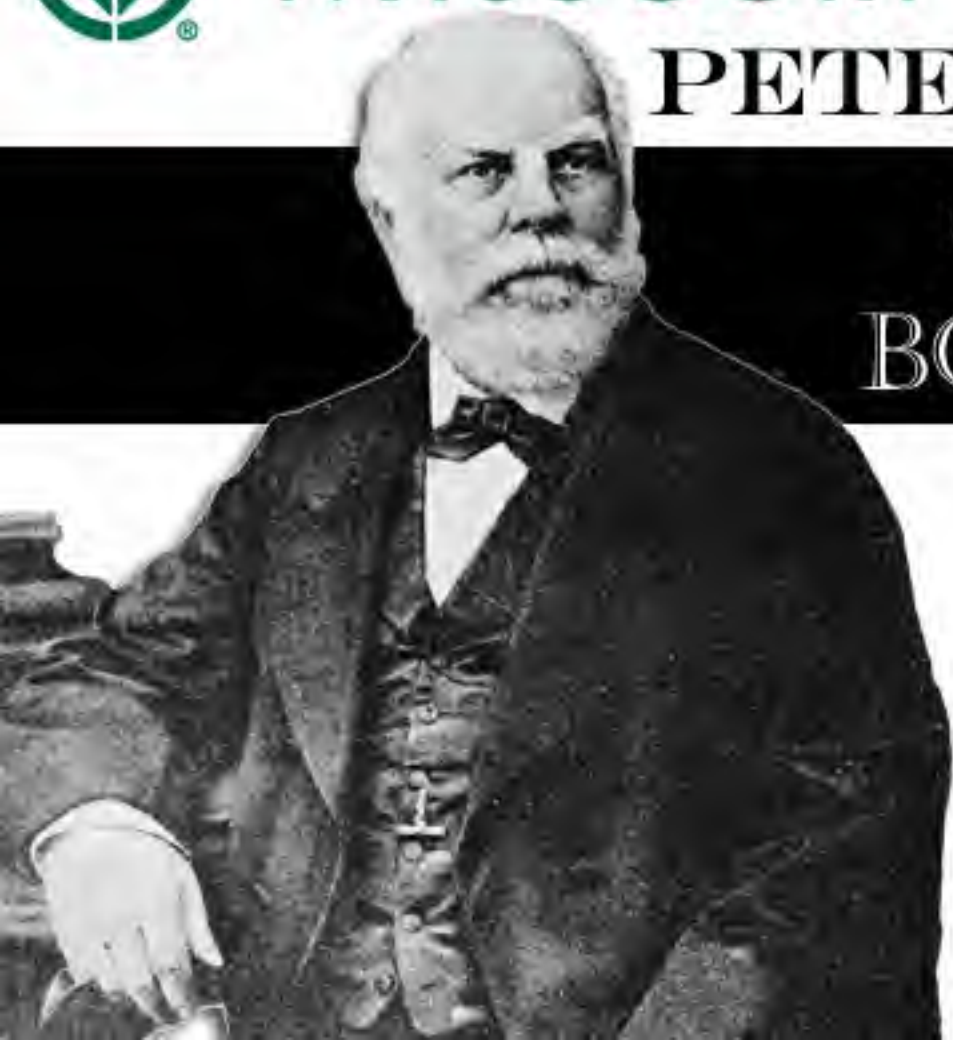


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S. Vascey

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interrupted descent and ascent took place from January to December, we find in 1862 some interruptions in the steps of that ladder. The electricity in February, 1862, is about four degrees higher than that of January, April somewhat higher than March, and July is the lowest instead of September in 1861. These trifling irregularities may be accounted for by differences in temperature and relative humidity, and by a greater number of thunderstorms in 1862. January of 1862, for instance, was so unusually rainy, that its relative humidity too was unusually high, diminishing thus electricity. But the general features of distribution of electricity throughout the year are apparent in both years, and we may in that respect divide the twelve months of each year into two or three groups. Computing the months which give the highest electricity and those which give the lowest in each year, we find that in both years the months of January, February, March, April, November and December exhibit the highest, and the months of May, June, July, August, September and October the lowest electricity. The first group gives

The aggregate monthly mean of 71.5 degrees of electricity in 1861	“	“	1862
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VI. The appearance of negative electricity was connected in

1861. No. times.	1862. No. times.	
30	32	with thunderstorms.
23	28	with rains without thunder and lightning.
20	4	with dry storms (without rain and without thunder and lightning).
4	3	with snow.
1	0	with fog.
78	67	

VII. Relation of Rain and Snow to Electricity.

Rain without thunderstorm was accompanied

By Positive Electri-	By Negative Electri-	By no Electricity.
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Imou Vasseyi

March 9 1865

Ringwood
Vasey



Seal of leaf X10



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Sat Ketchikan

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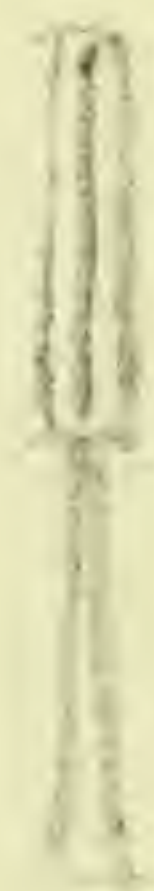
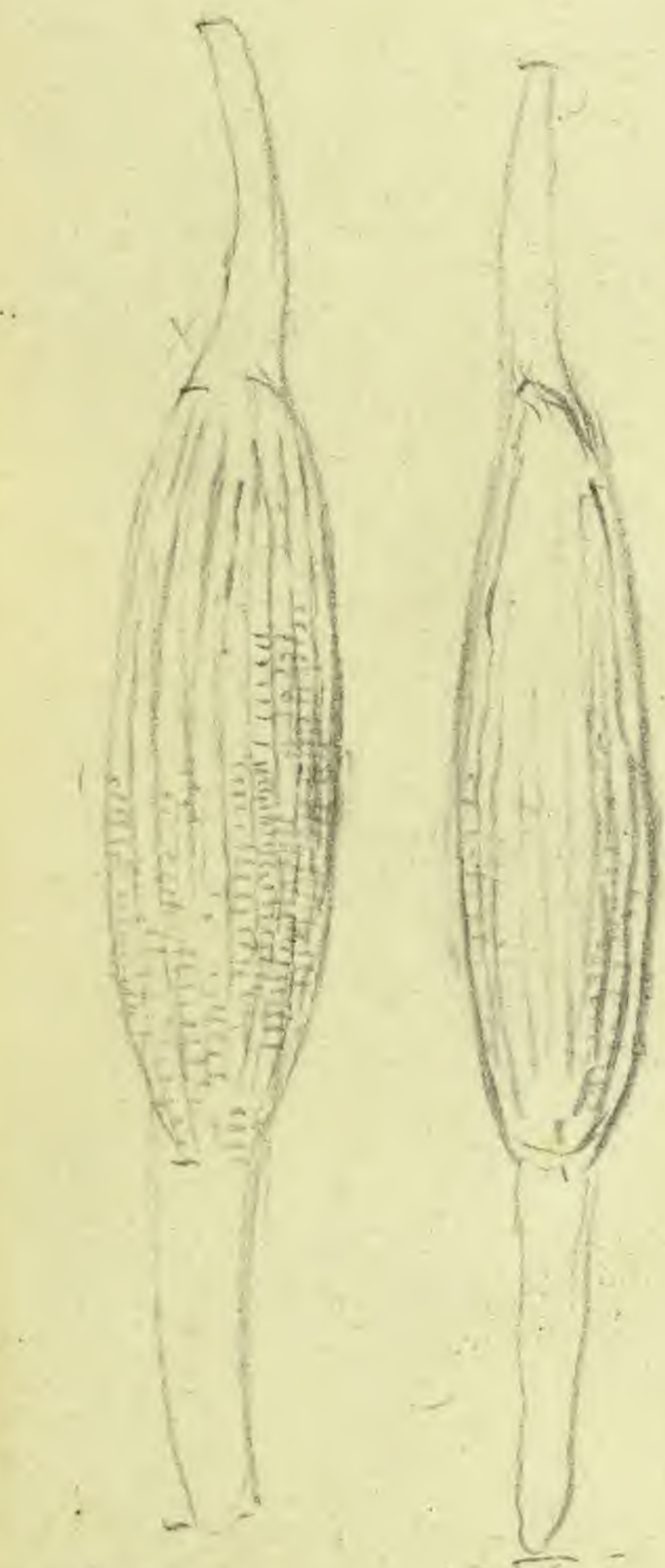
Juncus

Aug 13 1865

Peary wood Dr Vasey

open capsule, therefore widened

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capsule sometimes scarcely exsert

very near *J. gracilis*, but tails are linear;
capsules more green than brown
involucral leaves shorter or rarely a little
longer than contracted panicle

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Salkitchawan, E. Bourgeois 1858

Hb Gray

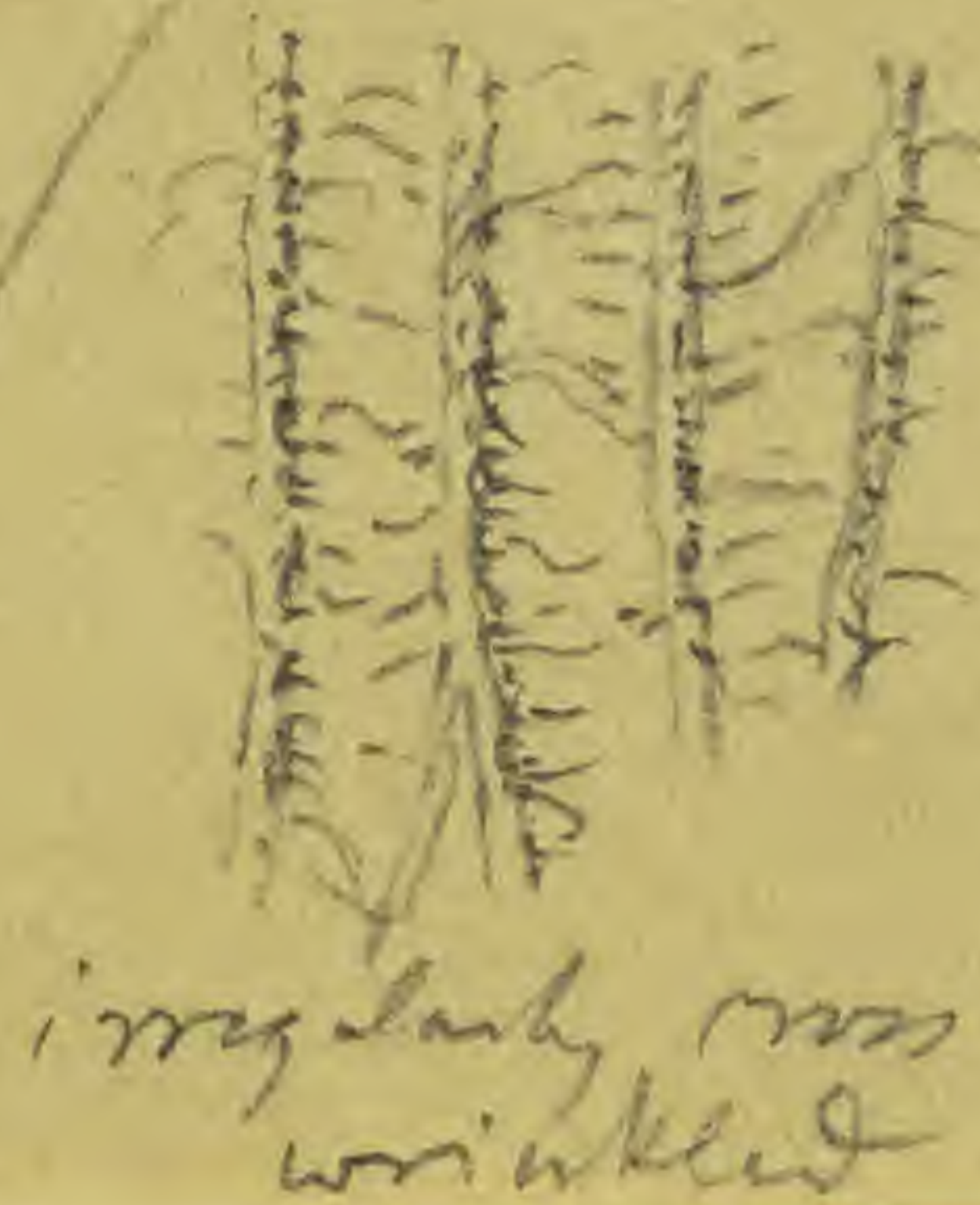
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Seed unripe



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irregularly cross
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"Rocky Mount"

Drummond

Hb Gray

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plant same as

Bourgeois



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Nov 10 1865

Colombo, Hall 1862

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J. tenuis

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J. Vaseyi

Dr. Bigelow, Detroit

Aug 27 1866

Leaf of leaf x10

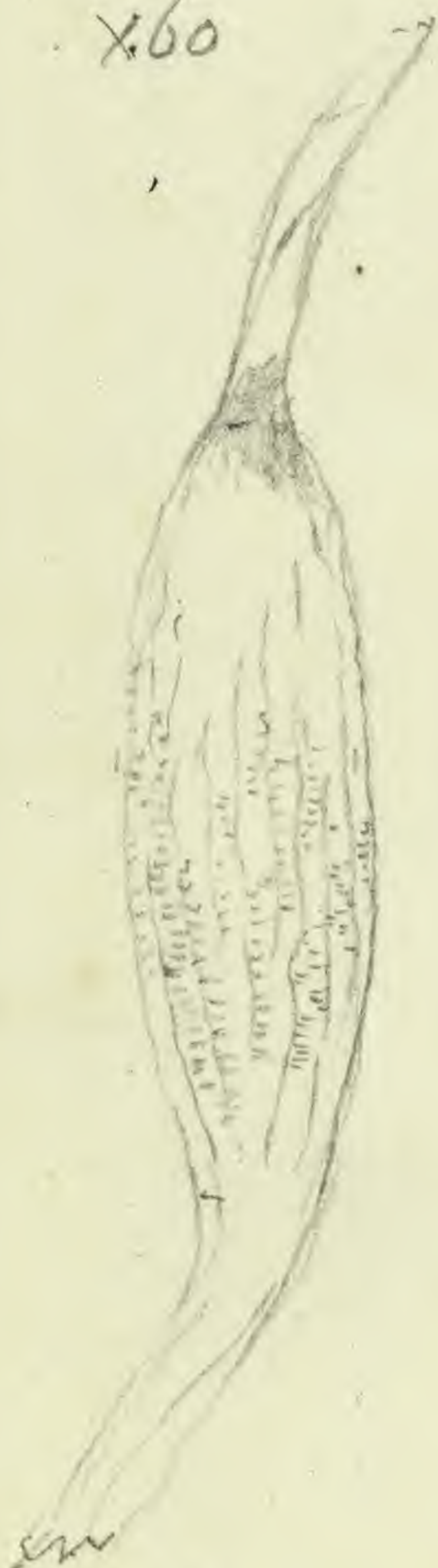


towards tip

near base



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8 ribs



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Tamus Vaseyi

H. Philad

Gray
(Vasey)

Engelm.
Vasey

Ringwood M.

Rocky Mts

Drummond

(Dr)

Saskatchewan

Bourgeois

Bourgeois

Colorado

Hell

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E. Meyer has taken Hummwood
No 228 from the Rocky Mountains,
which I have named *J. Vaseyi*
for J. Chamisso's son's Knuth III. 348
from Chile's Montañas.
Seeds of the latter must be
compared. Ex F. Buchanan Jan 1867

Seeds ex Hb. Paris thick and very
short pointed!



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